

Examiner's Amendment

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

In the specification, page 1, in the line following the heading "CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS" (added in the amendment of December 2, 2004), the following line has been added: -- This application is a 371 of PCT/EP03/06433 filed June 18, 2003. --.

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